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MEETINGS.
THERE will be a meeting of the members of the ALEXANDRIA GOLF CLUB at the office of Norton & Dodge, No. 128 south Fairfax street, at 4 o'clock, p. m., on WEDNESDAY February 3, 1909. A full attendance is requested.
GARDNER L. BOOTH, Secretary.
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND MOUNT VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at 3 o'clock p. m. TUESDAY, February 9, 1909, at the office of the company, in Mount Vernon, Va.
JOHN W. PITTOCK, Secretary.
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TERROR OF THE "THIRD DEGREE."
Mrs. Mary J. Wilhelm, the widow of Frank Wilhelm, who was murdered in his home in Newark, N. J., last Monday night, was in a condition of complete nervous collapse yesterday, after an unusually severe application of the "third degree," including a midnight visit to the morgue, where she was suddenly confronted with the body of her husband. The police had evidently expected to obtain some kind of a statement from her, but they were unsuccessful, for when the sheet covering her husband's body was suddenly removed, she became hysterical, fell to her knees and frantically declared her love for her husband, and exclaimed, "Oh, Frank, if you could only speak and tell them who did this." As her hysterical increased Mrs. Wilhelm became incoherent and the detectives who were watching her and listening could make nothing of what she said. When she was taken back to the police station again she was in a state of utter collapse.

An hour or so later the detectives endeavored to make use of similar strategy to obtain a statement from Nicholas Sica, who has been in the custody of the police since the murder. Sica was taken from the police station to the Wilhelm residence, and in the basement where the body of Wilhelm was found was questioned by the detectives. Before Sica reached the Wilhelm house the body of the murdered man had been conveyed there from the morgue and placed in the position in the basement where it was found after the murder. Sica was first led through the rooms on the first floor, the detectives directing his suspicious by attracting his attention to various objects. Sica was cheerful and was showing the detectives about the house when suddenly one of them from the basement called the others to come down and join him in the others.

The other detectives with Sica ran downstairs and at the foot of them, in the dark hallway, a light was suddenly flashed up and there before him Sica saw the murdered body of Wilhelm. For a long moment the prisoner gazed down at the body of the man. Involuntarily his knees wobbled; his hands stiffened, his eyes became glassy and white. "Sica, what do you know about that?" asked one of the detectives. Sica made no response. Losing control of his legs, he was sinking to the floor when the officers caught him and carried him from the house and into the carriage. When he reached his cell he was in a condition of nervous collapse. Chief of Police Corbett said yesterday that he had received a letter from a woman who signed herself Mrs. Frank Wilhelm, 227 east Eighty-third street, Manhattan, saying that she married the murdered man to Heidelberg, Germany, 20 years ago, and that he deserted her 12 years ago. Mrs. Wilhelm, under duress here, said that she had never heard of the New York woman. Wilhelm came from Heidelberg, she said, and he married her in Boston, 10 years ago.

WHEN IS A MAN DRUNK?
Again comes the question of what constitutes the state of being "drunk." The courts and lexicographers, the economists and the prohibitionists, the poets and the historians have struggled with it in vain, arriving often at ridiculously diametrical results in the face of the same facts. Does the House of Delegates think that it can settle a problem before which a Boston police judge stood aghast? The judge went for a rule to the poet to learn:

"He is not drunk who from the floor Can rise again and drink once more. But he is drunk who helpless lies And cannot either drink or rise."

That, at least, brought certainty to the test.

But apparently the House of Delegates contemplates rushing in where Noah Webster feared to tread. Webster, who classifies "drunk" as slang, defines it thus: "A spree; a fit of drunkenness." A distinguished Chicago juriconsult dismissed the query by saying, "When a man can't navigate."

Does the House of Delegates contemplate defining the term? If so, it is charitable to offer poetic testimony, not that whose classic form found favor in Boston, but a little strain which seems to comport more with the free spirit of the west. It is:

"When your heels hit hard And your head feels queer, And your thoughts lie up like the froth on beer, And your legs are weak, And your voice is strong, And you laugh like—at some—fool song. You're drunk."

"B'Co'h, you're drunk!"
—From the St. Louis Republic.

When you look on the garment littered floor The morning after the night before And see, no matter which way you toss, The grinning features of R. E. Morse And the clink of the ice in the pitcher tall Is the sweetest note to your ear, of all You're sobering up, you're sobering up.

Marshall Gray—New Orleans, Mobile, Pensacola

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Julius Greenwalt, a coal miner of Stanton, Ill., narrowly escaped rough handling at the hands of an enraged mob Wednesday night after he had placed the four-year-old child of a woman with whom he boarded on top of the red-hot stove because the child annoyed him. Greenwalt was arrested and a number of his fellow-workers heard of the act.

Instead of taking Greenwalt to the jail, the village marshal hid him in a restaurant near the interurban station, and when a mob bound car arrived he was washed aboard and taken to Carlinville, where he will await the action of the grand jury. The child is in a serious condition as a result of her burns.

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Clearance Sale of Boys' Winter Clothing
Some are reduced a third, some a half and every article is an unusual value. Below we mention a few interesting items:
Boys' All-wool Suits, of blue cheviot and worsted and black unfinished worsteds, with knickerbocker trousers; sizes 7 to 17. Fine dressy suits. Special price, \$6.50. Were \$9.00, \$10 and \$11.
Boys' Suits, of blue merges and worsteds and fancy mixtures, with lined knickerbocker trousers; sizes 7 to 17. Strictly all-wool. Special price, \$4.75 each. Were \$6.50, \$7.50, and \$8.50.
Boys' Long and Short Trowsers; lined with flannel; sizes 24 to 10. Special price, \$4.75 each. Were \$7.50, \$8.50, and \$10.00.
Boys' Reefers and Overcoats, suitable for school and general wear; sizes 3 to 15. Special price, \$3.95 each. Were \$6.00, \$6.50, and \$7.50.
Young's All-wool Long Trowsers Suits (coat, pants, and vest); sizes 15 to 20, or 31 to 36 inch chest measure. Special price, \$6.00 each. Were \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$11.

Boys' Double-breasted Suits (coat and pants), with knickerbocker or straight-cut pants; sizes 15 to 15. Special price, \$2.45 each. Were \$3.95 and \$5.00.
Third floor—10th st.
Girls' and Misses' White Dresses.
These are all fresh, new goods, and in every instance the values are exceptional. We mention a few, as follows:
Girls' White India Linon Dresses, with fine tucks to form yoke; high neck; sizes 6 to 16 years. Special price, \$1.50 each.
Girls' White Lawn Dresses, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; sizes 6 to 14 years. Special price, \$1.75 each.
Girls' White India Linon Dresses, high neck and long sleeves; sizes 6 to 14 years. Special price, \$2.95 each.
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